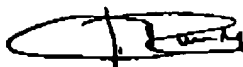


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**REMARKS**

The Inventor elects capsaicinoids. This specie groups capsaicin and capsaicin derivatives under the pharmacological term of capsaicinoids. The species of vanilloids and capsicum extract have been deleted. Claims 9-b and 9-g have also been deleted. For all aforementioned described, applicant submits that the claims that coincide with the elected species are now in proper form. Therefore the applicant submits that this application is now in condition for allowance, which an action the applicant respectfully solicits. If, for any reason this application is not believed to be in full condition for allowance, applicant respectfully requests the constructive assistance and suggestions of the Examiner pursuant to M.P.E.P 2173.02 and 707.07 (j). In such order, the Undersigned can place this application in allowable condition as soon as possible and without the need for further proceedings. The foregoing is very respectfully submitted,



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